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Table 1: Economy					
		2004	2005	2006	2007
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter					
Unemployed persons	no.	139	125	111	115
Unemployment rate	%	5.2	4.8	3.9	4.1
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June					
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	803	941
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	8.2	8.2
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	8 032	8 910
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	1 794	1 638
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	84.4	63.0
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	38 000	38 484
Net tax	\$m	-	-	13.8	11.8
Average net tax	\$	-	-	7 132	7 180
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	20	19
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	2 697	2 579
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	93.6	89.3
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	29 200	29 854
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June					
Age Pension - Continual	no.	798	820	820	830
Age Pension - DVA	no.	108	79	0	0
Care Payment	no.	42	44	51	62
Disability Support Pension	no.	350	360	363	343
Age-related Allowance	no.	159	124	154	149
Widow's Payment - Single	no.	108	112	105	95
Youth Allowances	no.	125	103	111	87
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	74.8	68.0	74.1	67.2
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June					
Wage and salary earners	no.	1 633	1 647	1 693	1 637
Wage and salary income	\$	27 173	28 693	29 688	29 724
Average wage and salary income	\$	27 173	28 693	29 688	29 724
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	1 078	1 125	1 091	1 046
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	8.3	13.4	2.8	5.5
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	7 737	11 894	2 612	5 292
Investment earners	no.	1 439	1 484	1 500	1 484
Investment income	\$m	7.7	8.4	8.8	10.1
Average investment income	\$	5 327	5 636	5 754	6 760
Superannuation and annuity earners	no.	77	84	86	91
Superannuation and annuity income	\$m	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.8
Average Superannuation and annuity income	\$	17 021	17 715	19 537	19 655
Other income earners (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	207	273	258	271
Other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	1.4	6.4	1.4	1.5
Average other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1 429	1 458	1 486	1 920
Total income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	62.1	70.9	62.6	68.0
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June					
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	171	180	172	180
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	170	162	163	136
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	210	216	204	188
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	177	162	178	164
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	130	127	133	135
Males - 65 years and over	no.	34	40	36	42
Males - Total	no.	892	887	890	855
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	120	130	127	134
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	147	140	140	126
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	203	198	202	198
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	185	171	177	179
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	99	103	104	117
Females - 65 years and over	no.	15	22	21	25
Females - Total	no.	739	761	771	762
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	291	310	300	314
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	317	302	303	264
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	413	414	406	387
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	342	333	355	343
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no.	219	230	237	252
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	49	62	62	67
Persons - Total	no.	1 631	1 648	1 691	1 637
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June					
Managers and Administrators	no.	107	97	104	100
Professionals	no.	240	238	237	228
Associate Professionals	no.	49	55	102	64
Technicians and Related Workers	no.	62	100	158	158
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	17	24	25	24
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	248	253	282	273
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	81	91	80	86
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	113	121	128	138
Laborers and Related Workers	no.	444	434	432	426
Not Stated	no.	150	177	150	138
Total wage and salary earners	no.	1 631	1 650	1 693	1 638
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June					
Net worth per household	\$'000	na	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	na	\$m	na	-	-
Equivalent net worth	\$'000	na	-	-	-
Assets per household	\$'000	na	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$'000	na	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS					
Number of Businesses - at 30 June					
Non-employing businesses	no.	456	423	420	402
Employing businesses 1 to 4 employees	no.	150	168	168	160
Employing businesses 5 or more employees	no.	67	87	87	86
Total businesses	no.	673	678	675	668
Business Entries - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business entries	no.	48	63	83	54
Employing business entries	no.	24	15	18	15
Total business entries	no.	72	78	101	69
Business Exits - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business exits	no.	90	51	33	42
Employing business exits	no.	15	3	30	15
Total business exits	no.	105	54	63	57
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	no.	429	426	420	408
Mining	no.	3	3	3	3
Manufacturing	no.	21	19	21	19
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	0	0	0	0
Construction	no.	36	39	30	36
Wholesale trade	no.	9	12	9	9
Retail trade	no.	48	39	42	48
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	39	36	27	21
Transport and storage	no.	39	35	39	35
Communication services	no.	8	0	8	8
Finance and insurance	no.	16	12	12	6
Property and business services	no.	38	45	45	51
Education	no.	8	8	8	8
Health and community services	no.	8	8	9	9
Cultural and recreational services	no.	8	8	8	8
Personal and other services	no.	8	3	9	3
Total businesses	no.	693	678	675	668
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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	181	179
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	209	207
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	199	192
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	172	163
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	86	91
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	128	122
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	169	159
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	197	195
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	239	237
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	179	196
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	197	170
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	222	229
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	204	202
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	172	179
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	136	138
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	90	93
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	37	43
Males - 85 years and over	no.	24	27
Males - Total	no.	2 841	2 822
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	158	157
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	176	175
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	183	174
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	147	146
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	117	110
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	119	124
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	177	168
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	180	182
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	210	208
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	176	180
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	183	164
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	197	210
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	183	182
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	149	148
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	118	111
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	90	101
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	93	92
Females - 85 years and over	no.	58	66
Females - Total	no.	2 714	2 698
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	339	336
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	385	382
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	382	366

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	319	309
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	203	201
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	247	246
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	346	327
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	377	377
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	449	445
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	355	376
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	380	334
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	419	439
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	387	384
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	321	327
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	254	249
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	180	194
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	130	135
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	82	93
Persons - Total	no.	5 555	5 520

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	62	46
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Total fertility rate	rate	2.0	1.9
Deaths	no.	48	59
Standardised death rate	rate	6.9	7.3

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2006	2007	2008
175	157	139
209	203	190
189	183	186
137	137	142
112	125	121
121	109	110
144	130	118
195	197	187
220	210	201
216	233	246
168	163	155
223	225	207
202	195	198
188	188	197
141	138	138
100	111	118
53	58	66
32	34	32
2 825	2 796	2 751
180	160	150
165	154	146
171	160	155
145	150	141
96	95	97
125	126	126
157	133	117
178	184	172
206	193	184
182	161	159
161	172	162
211	200	197
182	191	199
155	145	147
113	126	129
105	106	104
93	97	89
82	87	103
2 707	2 640	2 577
355	317	289
374	357	336
360	343	341

282	287	283
208	220	218
246	235	236
301	263	235
373	381	359
426	403	385
398	394	405
329	335	317
434	425	404
384	386	397
343	333	344
254	264	267
205	217	222
146	155	155
114	121	135
5 532	5 436	5 328

-	-	0.6
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2.6	-	-
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0.9	-	-
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2.2	-	-
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0.2	-	-
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0.1	-	-
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0.1	-	-
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0.0	-	-
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0.1	-	-
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0.1	-	-
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0.2	-	-
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3.9	-	-
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0.8	-	-
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0.5	-	-
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0.4	-	-
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5.6	-	-
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5.1	-	-
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15.3	-	-
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11.9	-	-
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38.9	-	-
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37.8	-	-
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10.0	-	-
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8.3	-	-
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7.0	-	-
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9.3	-	-
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4.6	-	-
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6.5	-	-
14.2	-	-
2.1	-	-
537	-	-
41	-	-
1 528	-	-
2 106	-	-
493	-	-
95	-	-
761	-	-
114	-	-
69	-	-
19	-	-
1 551	-	-
4 389	-	-
683	-	-
3 081	-	-
1 661	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
100.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
45.4	-	-
0.0	-	-
54.6	-	-
33.7	-	-
21.0	-	-
6.0	-	-
0.7	-	-
13.8	-	-
18.7	-	-
26.5	-	-
1.0	-	-
46.1	-	-
57	48	57

2.0	1.9	2.1
56	47	48
7.4	7.0	6.2



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	6	22
Total dwelling units	no.	6	26
Value of private sector houses	\$m	1.2	2.8
Value of new residential building	\$m	1.2	3.2
Value of total residential building	\$m	1.5	3.6
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	1.1	0.7
Value of total building	\$m	2.6	4.2
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	207.8	129.0
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	2 161	2 195
Campervans	no.	10	9
Light commercial vehicles	no.	1 225	1 284
Light rigid trucks	no.	36	34
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	237	226
Articulated trucks	no.	33	35
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	4	3
Buses	no.	29	34
Motorcycles	no.	75	83
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	3 810	3 903
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	389	398
Campervans	no.	2	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	221	233
Light rigid trucks	no.	6	6
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	43	41
Articulated trucks	no.	6	6
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	5	6
Motorcycles	no.	14	15
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	686	707
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	795	849
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	954	988
10 years or older	no.	2 056	2 060
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	2 571	2 619

Diesel	no.	1 227	1 272
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	12	11

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS



2006	2007	2008
22	14	2
22	16	2
3.3	2.7	0.3
3.3	2.9	0.3
4.2	3.8	0.8
0.8	18.7	0.8
5.1	22.5	1.6
152.3	193.1	164.0
2 219	2 189	2 251
12	13	15
1 334	1 353	1 372
37	44	39
233	229	229
37	37	39
3	3	2
32	28	31
95	90	92
4 001	3 985	4 069
401	403	422
2	2	3
241	249	258
7	8	7
42	42	43
7	7	7
1	1	0
6	5	6
17	17	17
723	733	764
904	867	869
1 016	1 022	996
2 076	2 093	2 204
2 646	2 608	2 637

1 338	1 356	1 404
17	21	28

71.4	-	-
63.1	-	-
5.2	-	-
139.7	-	-

794 662.8	-	-
131 807.5	-	-
6.4	-	-
242.1	-	-
242.1	-	-
15 851.5	-	-

216 329	-	-
53	-	-
204 644	-	-
8 314	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	9 273.8
795	-	-
7	-	-
25 658	-	-
4 573	-	-
30 231	-	-
0.9	-	-